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FAMINE IN IRELAND

Large Amounts Collected in America for Relief.

MONEY [illegible] ALL QUARTERS.

The American Committee in New York Collecting Funds for the Relief of Ireland [illegible] Excellent Report of the Generosity of the American People.

N[illegible], Oct. 20. The past week has [illegible] messages to the American [illegible] collecting funds for the [illegible] of Ireland, showing that the [illegible] to the committee's appeal will be [illegible] universal. Starting, as the committee did, nearly three months earlier than any similar committee ever before started, there was some fear in the minds of the members that its action might be misconstrued.

The early inauguration of the movement for the relief of the terrible distress which is sure to come to Ireland this winter was not meant by the committee [illegible] that such distress would come [illegible] this year than it had come in the [illegible] famine years, but it was meant to [illegible] the fact that relief had gone [illegible] famine years from America [illegible] when it was too late to [illegible] and save valuable lives [illegible] early so that relief from America might be at hand at the very first moment that it was needed by the Irish people.

The response given to the American committee's appeal has astonished even those who [illegible] with the generosity of the American people. From various parts of the United States letters and telegrams have come to the American committee. The city of Hartford, Conn., has already forwarded to the American committee, through The Hartford Times, nearly $1,000, and a public meeting to further the movement was called by Mayor Dwight.

The action of the city of Galveston has been [illegible]. On Oct. 5, in pursuance of [illegible] published in The Galveston News, a mass meeting was held [illegible] resolutions and the sum [illegible] was contributed by those present.

Among the letters and telegrams received by the American committee the following [illegible] mentioned as samples: The [illegible] telegraphed from Albany: "[illegible] pleased to act as [illegible] without expense [illegible] work to-day if satisfactory. We start it with a subscription of $[illegible]."

The [illegible] of Chicago sent a telegram to the same effect.

Mr. [illegible], editor of The Arena, of Boston, writes: "I should be delighted to do anything in my power to aid the famine stricken people of Ireland. I enclose you my personal check."

Mr. John J. Kennedy, superintendent of the [illegible] Docks works, writes: "We have [illegible] up among our employes a subscription for the famine funds."

An Old Law Enforced.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 20. A great crowd of the [illegible] citizens were last night [illegible] and very indignant over the action of the police in stopping the lecture which was to have been given at Germania Maennerchor hall by Arthur [illegible], of New York. For some reason an old law was resurrected Saturday, and last night the authorities stated that no entertainment of any sort for which an admission price was demanded would take place in Baltimore on Sunday if any one should object thereto. [illegible] denounced the decision [illegible] the authorities. The statue has been [illegible] dead so long that even the [illegible] attorney knew not of its existence until Saturday.

A Prize Fight in Texas.

DALLAS, Oct. 20. A fight took place in the ring Saturday night between Mike Conley, of New York, and Dick Sullivan, of Colorado, which was witnessed by [illegible] people. The fight was for a purse [illegible]. In the first round Sullivan fouled Conley and the referee gave Conley the fight, but the latter said he was willing to go on. In the second round Sullivan repeated the offence and the referee awarded the contest to Conley. Sullivan's backers lost heavily. Frank Vaquelin, of New Orleans, will challenge Conley.

The Wires Became Crossed.

BOSTON, Oct. 20. About 6 o'clock yesterday evening an electric light wire became crossed with a Western Union telegraph wire, causing a burning out of the wires running from the tower to the switch [illegible] in the operating room. The woodwork of the tower caught fire, but the flames were put out with slight damage. The loss of the wires completely isolated the Boston office and communication was not restored until after [illegible] two wires to New York were obtained. The damage [illegible].

Preparing for Dillon and O'Brien.

BUFFALO, Oct. 20. A large and enthusiastic meeting was held Sunday afternoon [illegible] of Branch [illegible] National league, at which [illegible] reports were submitted by [illegible] appointed to [illegible] suffering Ireland. [illegible] that a large amount [illegible] over to Messrs. Dillon [illegible] when they visit Buffalo.

A Long Ocean Voyage.

SAN F[illegible]. The British ship H[illegible] arrived here from L[illegible] days [illegible]. The [illegible] was [illegible] storm during a voyage [illegible]. Two were [illegible] eleven of the crew of the wrecked British ship [illegible] Santa [illegible]. The captain is at [illegible] and is endeavoring to dispose of the vessel.

RAILROAD ACCIDENTS

Two Freight [illegible] Passenger [illegible] Wrecked.

BUFFALO, Oct. 20. A Lake Shore freight train loaded with cattle going east broke in two on a heavy grade three miles east of Silver Creek [illegible] morning. The rear section started backwards and crashed into another freight loaded with beef going east, smashing several cars and killing a number of cattle, and throwing two cars in the path of the fast limited express, which collided with the wreck, smashing the engine and baggage cars and the side out of two coaches.

No one was killed, and but one injured, a lady passenger, who had two ribs broken. Both tracks were blocked for some time. The baggagemaster saw the obstruction and notified the passengers to get on the other side of the car, thereby preventing great loss of life.

A Mistaken Signal.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20. At a few minutes before 1 o'clock yesterday morning a collision occurred on the Pennsylvania railroad near the station at Frankford. Sherran, the engineer, and Harry Nields, a fireman, were fatally injured. They were taken to a hospital where they now lie in a critical condition. Both were buried in the debris for at least ten minutes and were severely scalded. The accident is said to be due to a green hand giving the signal "line clear" by mistake.

Train Ditched by a Fallen Tree.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Oct. 20. A fallen tree wrecked the passenger train on the Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville road last night, six miles north of this city. The engine and baggage car were thrown into a ditch. The fireman was taken from the wreck after an hour, but was not seriously hurt.

CORN DODGER CLUB.

Young Boys Organized for the Purpose of Robbery.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Oct. 20. There were big developments in the mystery surrounding what is known as the Corn Dodger club yesterday. It is an organization of boys, ranging in age from 7 to 15 years, many of whom have recently been arrested for complicity in petty thefts, but on account of their youth and the small value of their takings they have escaped punishment.

Six of them were arrested yesterday and with them a clothing dealer named Hall, who is charged with receiving goods that the boys had stolen. It is also learned that the Corn Dodgers have branches in Dallas, Waco, Marshall, Austin and Houston, Tex., and in Denver, Col. They have a code of signals and other means of secret communication. Whether Hall is at the head of the organization or not has not yet been determined.

HORRIBLE DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

An Infuriated Husband Shoots His Wife and Then Himself.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 20.—A terrible tragedy was enacted late yesterday evening on the farm of Henry Kron, near Blairsville, a Posey county hamlet, some thirteen miles from this city.

Kron and his wife quarreled yesterday and it was renewed in the evening, when the husband so lost his temper that he raved like a madman. He took a double-barreled shotgun, and without any warning whatever shot his wife down in the presence of their three children, who were powerless to offer interference.

Kron then passed into the next room, and with the remaining barrel shot the top of his own head off. The children ran from home screaming and warned the neighborhood. Kron was a well to-do farmer.

The Wine Merchant Still Missing.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—No trace has yet been found of Charles J. Bernheimer, the Minneapolis wine merchant who disappeared in this city last Tuesday. Bernheimer left Minneapolis Monday and arrived here the next day, registering at the Palmer house. After sending a telegram to his wife notifying her of his safe arrival, he left the hotel, and since then has not been seen by any one that knew him. The city police and the Pinkertons are working on the case, but so far no trace of Bernheimer can be found. His friends fear that he has been drugged or possibly murdered for his money.

Will Be Buried With the Ex-President.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 20. By an action of the Lincoln Monument association here yesterday the remains of young Abraham Lincoln, son of Minister Robert T. Lincoln, who died in England during the summer, will be interred beside those of his illustrious grandparent. Mr. Lincoln has written friends here that he will be at home during the month of November and the interment will likely then take place.

An Ex-Convict Shot.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 20. While drunk yesterday Henry Baden attempted to assault two little girls. Later in the day he entered the house of Mrs. Fanny Case, but she drove him away after a terrible struggle, in which he cut her on the arms and [illegible] with a hatchet. He broke away from the policeman who had arrested him and was shot through the spine while running. He will die. He is an ex-convict.

Uxoricide and Attempted Suicide.

BOSTON, Oct. 20. Early Saturday morning Daniel H. Wilson shot and instantly killed his wife while she was sleeping at their residence, No. [illegible] Leverett street, and turned the revolver upon himself and fired two shots into his own body. He will probably die. Wilson has always been [illegible] sober and industrious. He can give no reason for his awful deed.

The Weather.

Fair weather, except showers on lake shore; northwesterly winds and warmer.

GERMAN LUTHERANS

How Those of the Baltic Are Being Treated.

GERMANY MAKES A PROTEST

Instructions Sent to the German Ambassador at St. Petersburg to Intercede for the Pastors of that Locality. Various Other Dispatches Culled From the Latest Foreign News.

LONDON, Oct. 20. The German ambassador to St. Petersburg was instructed last week to remonstrate against the severity with which the German Lutherans of the Baltic provinces are being treated, and to intercede in behalf of the pastors now under prosecution. A considerable number of Germans have emigrated to Germany from Russian territory, unable longer to endure the harsh treatment exercised by Russian authorities, who are using the same methods so long pursued in Poland to crush out all native spirit and attachment.

A newspaper has been suspended at Revel for printing a historical sketch which appeared not sufficiently laudatory of Russian rule, and the open display of the portrait of the Emperor William is expressly forbidden, while Greek priests are maintained, at considerable expense, to minister to a few members of the orthodox church in communities which are overwhelmingly German and Lutheran.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says that another commission is to be appointed to study the Jewish question, and make suitable recommendations.

Startling Things Expected.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—A private dispatch received by a leading London banker says it is learned that there are such rapprochements not only between Greek and Armenian subjects of Turkey, but between these and the "young Turkey" party at Constantinople as render it very probable that news may soon be received of startling events on the shores of the Bosporus. The idea of the conspirators is said to be that a demonstration can be made which will be more effectual in convoking a European conference than the petition lately presented to the Emperor of Germany by the Armenians.

France Awakening Up.

PARIS, Oct. 20. A French company has begun to exploit the rich coal mines of Servia and several pits are already being worked at Ursin and Gake, near Zaecaer. An Anglo-German syndicate have concluded a concession with the Servian government to work the rich resources of paraffin and petroleum found in the country, and have already begun boring [illegible] there. These facts are being made use of by those who are urging English importers to turn to Servia as a source of supply, now that the American tariff has done injury to many English industries.

Big Butter Buyers.

LONDON, Oct. 20. There is a firm of provision merchants in the city of London that disposes daily of six tons of butter, most of which arrives from France by the way of Southampton. There are several other firms doing business of equal magnitude. It is very remarkable that English producers cannot capture this valuable trade. England pays tribute to Normandy for butter, eggs and poultry, a sum which, if he could have realized its magnitude and obtained it, might have made William the Conqueror content to stay in that province.

Socialism Not Advanced.

LONDON, Oct. 20. It is the general opinion of commentators upon the Halle [illegible] congress that the meeting has effected but little for the advancement of the Socialist cause, but that it proves that the Socialists are inclined to use their newly granted liberty with moderation. The weight of opinion is that if they continue in the path of peaceful agitation which they have marked out for themselves, they will give our people no cause to fear evil results from their activity.

Nationalists' Meeting.

LONDON, Oct. 20. The Nationalists had an enormous meeting at Neagh, near Waterford, Ireland. Bands and banners were numerous and much enthusiasm was displayed. Several members of parliament were among the speakers. The police were out in force, but contented themselves with watching the proceedings and taking copious notes of what was said.

A Public Poster.

DUBLIN, Oct. 20. An appeal signed by Father Humphreys and other clergymen has been [illegible] at Tipperary, addressed to men of Tipperary, the Heart and [illegible] of the Nation, the Center of [illegible] them to [illegible] Sunday and show [illegible] asking for [illegible] to help themselves.

Memorial Stones Laid.

L[illegible]. The memorial [illegible] the new buildings of the [illegible] at L[illegible] were [illegible] Baroness Burdett-[illegible] H. [illegible] for the benefit of [illegible].

[illegible] Boat work.

R[illegible]. The force that an [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible].

[illegible] Protest.

[illegible] Leading French wine growers have entered a protest against any retaliatory policy toward the United States in regard to duties, on the ground that America is one of the best customers for French wine.

Election in Belgium.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 20. The municipal elections in Belgium yesterday resulted generally in favor of the Liberals. The Socialists were successful in many places. Second ballots will be required in Brussels.

Troops Guarding Strikers.

LYONS, Oct. 20. Detachments of troops are guarding the mines of Arras and Carvin, in northern France, where the miners are on a strike and numerous assaults have been made on the free laborers.

NEW YORK CENSUS.

Acting Superintendent Childs Replies to Mayor Grant.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20. Acting Superintendent of Census Childs has sent the following letter to Mayor Grant, in response to his formal demand for another Federal enumeration of the population of New York city:

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17, 1890.

DEAR SIR—Yours of the 10th inst. has been received, demanding that the Federal authorities make an accurate enumeration of all the inhabitants of the city of New York. You state that it appears from the enumeration taken by the police force under the supervision of yours if and a representative selected by me, that there are many inhabitants of the city of New York who were not returned by the Federal census.

There has been no representative selected by me to supervise the enumeration taken by your police force. It is proper thereby to supplement on your part, and the effect of your statement should be corrected without delay, lest it might be deemed therefrom that this bureau was in anywise responsible for, or bound by, the enumeration you mention.

The right of the people of New York to be counted accurately and have representation in congress and in the electoral college proportionate to their population, has not been disputed and needs no assertion to have it acknowledged. Your demand for an accurate enumeration of the inhabitants of the city of New York is without the support of any facts officially known to this office, and will be considered only when a case is presented in due form and that will then be decided upon its merits.

You will please understand that this bureau has entire confidence in the enumeration it has made of the inhabitants of the city of New York, and will adhere to the same until convinced by proper proofs duly presented that the same is erroneous and to a degree that demands a reenumeration under the statute in such case made and provided.

You will please further take notice that the work of the census by the National authorities has proceeded so far that the result of the enumeration of the population will be probably announced within a few days, and that no great delay will be allowed you in presenting your case and the evidence you may have to support it.

Yours respectfully, A. F. CHILDS,

Acting Superintendent of Census.

A Double Tragedy.

QUINCY, Ill., Oct. 20.—This city was startled Saturday afternoon by a double tragedy which occurred on a crowded thoroughfare. Miss Lillie Booth, daughter of prominent parents of this city, while walking on Sixth street at 2 o'clock in the afternoon met Daniel Price, a well known business man, whom she accused of seducing her under the promise of marriage. After a few words the girl shot Price in the region of the heart, death resulting an hour later. As soon as he was shot Price drew a revolver and fired at Miss Booth, the ball taking effect in the left shoulder, inflicting a serious wound.

Another Seafaring Record Cracked.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20. The British ship Hesperus has arrived from London after the longest trip on record, having been out for 151 days. The ship encountered a storm on the way from London and was dismasted. She finally arrived at Rio Janeiro in bad condition and remained for some time for repairs. She left Valparaiso Aug. 5. The steamer Cowhern arrived Friday from Guaymas, bringing eleven of the crew of the wrecked British ship Selene, which went ashore at Santa Rosalia last month. The captain was left at Guaymas, where he is endeavoring to dispose of the vessel.

Base Ball in Pittsburg Next Year.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 20. The conference committee of the Pittsburg Players' League and National League ball clubs held another conference Saturday. Both sides agreed that only one club would play in Pittsburg, and while both favored a compromise or consolidation the Players' League would only agree to a consolidation which would give them 50 per cent. of the capital stock of the new club. This the National League objected to. Both sides then agreed to let the matter be settled in New York next week.

Catholic Sunday Schools Parade.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20. A parade of Catholic Sunday school children took place in Brooklyn yesterday in honor of the jubilee of Bishop Loughlin. [illegible] assembled [illegible] and marched past the Episcopal residence, where they were reviewed by the [illegible] Cardinal Gibbons [illegible] and many prominent [illegible]. There were no bands of music [illegible] the children sang hymns [illegible]. There were [illegible] passing the stand.

The Very Fastest [illegible].

SPRAGUE, Falls, Wash. [illegible] Jim Miller and [illegible] ran a dead heat Friday at [illegible] world's record of [illegible] of a mile each. Jim McReady [illegible] world's record for a quarter [illegible]. Record of [illegible] was made by Daniel B[illegible] at Helena, Mont., July 4, 1889.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

Items Gathered Especially for Buckeye Readers.

LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

Upon the Third Reading the House Defeated the Compromise Bill by a Vote of 52 Ayes to 51 Nays. The Gardner Bill Read the Second Time in the Senate. Other Ohio State News.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 20. Business in the house Saturday [illegible] was blocked by a call which [illegible] until nearly 12 o'clock. The [illegible] of Bellefville [illegible] out from under the call prevailed.

Mr. Griffin, of Lucas, called up the decennial bill, and wanted the Democratic side to suspend the rules and pass it, but Coyle's motion, referring it to the committee on municipal affairs carried by a vote of 49 yeas to 45 nays.

The Gardner compromise bill was read the third time and a call of the house ordered.

On final passage it received but 52 ayes to [illegible] nays.

The greatest excitement prevailed during the vote. [illegible] and Dewitt held back, but finally came in.

Hegarty, of [illegible], voted no, and also did Stinson of Licking, both Democrats.

O'Dowd and Schulte of Cincinnati, refused to vote. Mr. Beebe wanted them brought before the bar of the house and made to explain their act.

McMaken, of Butler, changed his vote to no in order to give him a chance to move a reconsideration.

O'Dowd finally voted, but against the bill. [illegible] also changed to no.

The house then adjourned until 4 p. m. Monday.

The senate was in a comatose condition all the morning, remaining under a call. Absenteeism is embarrassing the body a great deal.

Senators Coe, Morrison, Silver, Reed and Orr having gone home.

The Gardner bill was read the second time and referred to a committee of one, consisting of Mr. Somers[illegible]. The senate then adjourned until Tuesday at 3 p. m.

McMaken's resolution to reconsider was passed. He then offered an amendment vesting the power of appointment of a board of public improvements in the sinking fund trustees. The board is to consist of four members and to be nonpartisan and to serve until April, and then be elected by the people.

Nolan, of Cincinnati, objected to the bill on the ground that the sinking fund board were rich men and millionaires and stockholders in the gas, electric light and street car companies. Mallon defended the amendment.

If the bill recommended by Governor Campbell to solve the Cincinnati question does not become a law before Wednesday night, it will be imperative even if it does pass the legislature. The law requires ten days' notice at least to be given before every election of the officers to be chosen. There will not be ten days after next Thursday before the November election, when, according to Governor Campbell's plan, the successors of the present boards are to be elected. It is not certain that there will not be a quorum present today, and if a law such as the governor has asked is passed in time to be available, the legislature will have to work lively.

Mother Dead and Children Starving.

M[illegible], O., Oct. 20.—A revolting case of destitution has just come to light on the hill in the northeast corner of the town. Some time ago a family moved here from Delaware county named Worthington, there being several children. He is a corn doctor, and liked whisky. Saturday morning the trustees got [illegible] that the wife had died Friday [illegible] and the undertaker, going to the place, found a terrible state of things. The children were eating raw potatoes, and everything they could get [illegible], and were very scanty [illegible]. The [illegible] will bury the wife [illegible] the family, and charge [illegible] county.

An Attorney Assaulted.

F[illegible], O., Oct. 20. Last night Jerome Kibler, a noted character who is under indictment for complicity in the great [illegible] robbery committed in this county two years ago, assaulted Albert Zug[illegible] the assistant prosecuting attorney, upon the latter's telling him that if the evidence warranted it he would [illegible] with him as he had with [illegible] Kibler was held [illegible] was not seriously hurt and Kibler was locked up.

Shot [illegible] Boy.

F[illegible], Oct. 20. [illegible] Smith, aged [illegible] Mose, aged 10, [illegible] Saturday afternoon. They [illegible] a pile of lumber. While [illegible] the rail [illegible] the gun at the [illegible] head and shoulders.

[illegible] the Ham.

[illegible], O., Oct. 20. Henry [illegible] Saturday [illegible] of beating [illegible] principal [illegible] belong to [illegible].

[illegible] Harry [illegible]

[illegible] eyes.

The [illegible] nominated [illegible] Harvey, former [illegible] Topeka, [illegible] congress.

NEW ORLEANS ASSASSINATION.

Efforts [illegible] to Suppress the Italian [illegible] in Existence.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 20. The meeting of the committee of fifty Saturday [illegible] was [illegible] the committee announced that it would pursue the investigation to the end, bring the murderers of Chief Hennessy to justice and break up Italian [illegible] leagues in this city.

[illegible] have [illegible] and unless the [illegible] satisfy the [illegible] will not be allowed [illegible].

Joe Macheca has been identified as the man who rented the shanty where the assassins are supposed to have plotted and gathered. Other damaging evidence against Macheca has been obtained.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

Items of Interest Put in Convenient Form for the Hurried Reader.

The Latonia racing meeting closed Saturday.

Senator Sherman spoke at Ironton Saturday.

The jury in the Eilenberger murder case at Elmira, N. Y., returned a verdict of not guilty.

John Bryan, of Findlay, deserted his three-weeks' bride and ran away to California with her sister.

Charles White, who killed Robert Barley, has been convicted of manslaughter by a Hamilton county jury.

Congressman Dickerson was renominated by the Democrats of the Sixth Kentucky district. He is Carlisle's successor.

At Six Bluffs, Ill., Harry Thompson, a carpenter, was shot and instantly killed by the night telegraph operator, James Chenowith.

The Republican convention of the Ninth congressional district of Kentucky indorsed Capt. Bruce, the nominee of the Farmers' Alliance.

There is talk that if Attorney General Miller is appointed to succeed Justice Miller, Solicitor General Taft will be promoted to attorney general.

It is announced that Mrs. Burton Harrison is author of "The Anglomaniacs," The Century serial that has excited such curiosity to know the author.

At Chicago, Felix Young, laborer, was instantly killed; James Turner, laborer, badly injured and several others badly bruised by the fall of a derrick.

The lumber cut this year will exceed that of last year by several million feet. The estimate places it at not less than 3,500,000 feet, and not more than 350,000,000 feet.

At Quincy, Ill., Daniel G. Price was shot by Lillie Booth and killed. Before he died he shot her, but her injuries are not fatal. The trouble was caused by an illegitimate child.

Henry Steinfeldt, accused of forgery; John Smith, for rape; James Monroe, for burglary; George Perry, for burglary; Ed. McQuirk, burglary, escaped from jail at Lockport, N. Y.

Mayor Shakespeare, of New Orleans, has received notice that he has been selected as the next victim of the assassins. He has appointed a committee of fifty to hunt down the vendetta.

At Manitowoc, Wis., a young girl named Louisa Alwardt, aged 21 years, took poison to escape marriage to a man whom she disliked, but whom her parents were bound she should marry.

A man arrested in San Francisco for renting bell punches to cable car conductors, told the police he had rented a number in Cincinnati. Counterfeit slips were used, he stated, with the extra punch.

At Leavenworth, Kan., the grand jury returned indictments against Charles Benson and Mrs. Rautzahn for the murder of Mrs. Mettman. The jury recommended that Mrs. Rautzahn be admitted to bail.

The skeleton of Ernest Schulter, who disappeared mysteriously with his two children in March, 1887, was found buried in the cellar of his former home in Racine, Wis. No trace of the two children can be found.

In the fraudulent naturalization cases in Chicago, Sol Van Pragg, Democratic candidate for the state senate, was held in bail of $5,000 to the federal grand jury. Barney Mahoney and James Sheehan were also held in $500.

Mrs. Metz, the wife of a prominent Chattanooga business man, the disappearance of whom was coincident with the skipping of Vernon Whiteside, the city auditor, who left behind a deficit of $[illegible], is in a convent in Chicago.

At Boston Daniel H. Wilson, aged 43, an Adams Express driver, shot his wife while she was in bed, causing instant death. He then sent a bullet through his left breast, inflicting a probably fatal wound. [illegible] caused by illness.

William P. [illegible], president of the Farmers' Alliance in Boone county, Pa., started for [illegible] to prevent his wife from applying for a divorce. Word received [illegible] before he arrived that she had [illegible] application, whereupon he [illegible].

C. W. [illegible], Republican and H. J. [illegible] candidates [illegible] county, O., have [illegible] the Citizens' bank at [illegible], [illegible] $500, [illegible] to the [illegible] candidates [illegible].

A [illegible] a new brewery organization [illegible] Chicago [illegible] brewing and Malting [illegible] of $[illegible] said to be [illegible] Tosetti [illegible] Brewing [illegible] Rosing, Will- [illegible] having an [illegible] at over $[illegible].

RELIGION MAD.

An Old Lady Killed by Having Water Thrown Into Her Face.

PERRY, Mich., Oct. 20. Last summer William Fillinger and his wife, who live three miles from here, attended a series of revivals and became religion mad in a [illegible] way. With them lived Fillinger's mother, who has long been physically ill.

It was [illegible] Fillinger and his wife that the elder woman was unbaptized and yesterday they decided that the necessary rite [illegible] should be performed at once. The poor woman was confined to her bed, unable to rise. Taking water to her room they began the ceremony by dashing water in her face, and continued it until from shock and exhaustion their victim died. Fillinger and his wife were arrested and taken to jail at Corunna.

Liquor Men Jubilant.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 20.—The liquor men are [illegible] over the decision of [illegible]. With the coming week there will be [illegible] saloons all over Kansas, with tall-legged bars, where drinks will be sold without the formality of going through the original package ruse. The wholesale whisky dealers say that they have no fear of molestation and will not be afraid to run "wide open."

No Compromise or Conference.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 20.—The representatives of the employers have made a written reply to the suggestion of the lieutenant governor for a conference with the strikers. The employers refuse to meet the strikers, because the latter broke the agreement reached at a former conference, and have coerced the free laborers to whom the employers owe a debt of gratitude.

Prisoners Escape.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Six prisoners broke jail here yesterday morning and escaped. They were imprisoned for burglary and larceny, and one for rape. The escape was effected by gaining access to the jail yard, where they knocked on the cook's gate. When it was opened they rushed through and escaped to the country. The sheriff and posse are in pursuit.

Appeal from South Dakotans.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—The mayor has received an appeal from Houghton, S. Dak., signed by A. C. Bartlett, J. H. Lewis, E. M. Piper, Samuel Johnston and E. Cumming. These men represent the towns of Greenfield and Brainard. They say that the crops of Brown county have been a failure during the past three years, and that the people are absolutely without food, fuel or clothing.

Death of an Editor.

DENVER, Oct. 20.—Capt. L. W. Cutler, editor and proprietor of The Field and Farm, of this city, died suddenly at Salida, Col., yesterday. He was born in Genesee county, N. Y., in 1828. He was at one time associate editor with Horace Greely on The New York Tribune, and served in that capacity for several years. He was a veteran of the Mexican war and came here in 1860.

Two Children Fatally Burned.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 20.—Mary Dempler, aged 9 years, attempted to start the fire yesterday evening during the absence of her parents by the use of kerosene. The girl and her little brother, David, were covered with flaming oil in a moment and both were fatally burned.

Did Not Feel Secure Anywhere.

BOSTON, Oct. 20. Frank Ritchie, the escaped convict, who was in Portland, Me., was returned to the state prison at Charlestown, Mass., Friday. He said that since his escape he had been all over the United States and Canada, but did not feel secure anywhere. He has about sixteen years to serve.

Personal Liberty vs. Physical Slavery.

We are all free American citizens, enjoying our personal liberty; but most of us are in physical slavery, suffering from scrofula, salt rheum or some other form of impure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great blood purifier which dissolves the bonds of disease, gives health and perfect physical liberty.

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A PHYSICIAN'S OPINION.

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REFERRING TO AN OLD CASE

With the kindness for which attorneys are noted when they want to keep a struggling newspaper out of a costly lawsuit, Attorney O. W. Smith came from Lima last Saturday to interview the STAR relative to the retraction of an article published a few days ago under the caption of "An Explanation of how Rev. Wallace came to be sued for attorney's fees." We are not especially in the retracting business but we have both the desire to do exact justice and the inclination to avoid attorney fees, especially under an increased tariff. Attorney Smith is a member of the Congregational church, of Lima, of which church Rev. J. Francis Davies is pastor, since Rev. Davies resigned from the M. E. church, and it is this Congregational church that takes exceptions to our remarks, which in some sentences referred to the pastor. We have the objections in the form of a series of resolutions prepared expressly by the deacons and trustees of the church. We prefer to retract in sections, however, rather than publish the resolutions.

The first objection is the statement that "Rev. Davies became involved in trouble with a woman." We retract. This was an unpardonable inaccuracy in expression. Rev. Davies was not involved. He was simply accused of very undue intimacy with a young woman and the alleged indiscretion led to charges and the famous church trial that was the sensation of Lima and the Central Ohio Conference a few years ago. Rev. Davies was not involved in trouble with a woman.

The second misrepresentation on our part was the saying that "Rev. Wallace presided at the church trial or investigation," and coupled with this error we by mistake stated that "Rev. Davies was thrown out of conference." These two statements we retract. Rev. Wallace did not preside at the trial, and Rev. Davies was not expelled or thrown out. He simply resigned as a minister of the M. E. church while a very nasty trial was pending, resigned under charges, before a verdict by a jury of ministers was rendered, and said resignation was accepted by church and conference. Of course people had their own ideas about the resignation but they should gather no wrong impressions from our erroneous statement.

Lastly, we erred in saying that Rev. Davies ever sued Rev. Wallace for damages. That we retract. But Rev. Wallace was sued by a Miss Dunnan, and the suit was based upon a paper which witnesses testified was intrusted by Rev. Wallace to Rev. Davies in strictest confidence, and the suit came right after the church trial of Davies. Some people may have thought Rev. Davies to be the real plaintiff in the suit but they had no right to think so: Miss Dunnan was the party wanting damages.

This concludes the list of specifications of falsehoods in our article and we believe we have gone over them singly and retracted fully.

GALION has offered $100,000 for the Big Four round house and shops, but Bellefontaine gets them.—Cleveland Press.

Yes, dead old Galion can bid $100,000 in good faith for shops to revive her sluggish industrial pulse, and Kenton has spent more than that to give her a good healthy boom. Marion could but would not raise $10,000 for a promising implement factory. Marion's neighbors are pushing forward, while capital here is collecting high rents and long interest rates and hoping a few poor devils will always succeed in keeping Marion at the front. It will be cheaper to keep up our present speed than to fire up a rusty old boiler after a few years of distressing calm. We need a period of depression and go-backs—like the affliction the children sometimes get and have to be mysteriously measured by superstitious old women—to bring some of our money bags and rent collectors to a sense of duty, but it is rough on the present splendid Marion to have to apply such heroic treatment. Perhaps a little board of trade elixir, well administered, may work a change by next spring.

THE Cleveland World, an heretofore obscure newspaper, has recently changed management, and as a consequence has become infused with new life, in fact, it is a new World almost entirely. The World is now an eight page republican one cent daily, [illegible] every afternoon and Sunday mornings, and there is no doubt of its becoming a great paper.

THE most conspicuous features of a number of our country exchanges [illegible] now are the calls for [illegible] subscribers to settle. [illegible] half column duns would be [illegible] displaced by crisp news [illegible] ads if the tedious paying subscribers would only call for their receipts.

IT may be remarked that Gov. Campbell's extraordinary [illegible] legislature is proving a [illegible] ary one [illegible] lack of accomplishment [illegible] the washing of dirty linen by [illegible] democratic factions [illegible] extra session a spectacle [illegible] little disgust. Gov. Campbell [illegible] not only [illegible] a [illegible] that promised [illegible] non-partisan administration. It seems as though the Governor has [illegible] enemies in his own party and at the same time forfeited the regard of [illegible] ers by receding from the manly stand that he first took. It is a [illegible] to undertake to cleanse the Augean stables of the Cincinnati politicians, even Henry B. Payne's [illegible] would not suffice. It is doubtful if anything will be accomplished for home rule farther than the exposure of the frauds of the democratic campaign cry last fall. In this connection it is observed that Representative Scofield has voted with the opponents of the Governor, his sympathies evidently being with the Cincinnati politicians.

THE Erie has about completed a new depot at Galion and if the Sun Review has it right it "Will be a fine structure, such a building as our people can well feel proud of and when it is completed Galion will have one of the finest passenger depots in the state." This leads us to remark that the Erie's interests here ought to lead to something better than the N. Y. P. and O. and C. and A. depots. We have ceased hoping for an union depot, but if there is a bit of railroad conscience the old Erie shed will be replaced. If it isn't, there would not be any especial harm in a committee of citizens tearing it down. The law has to be occasionally violated in the spirit of justice.

WELL, this is news. "The Clemenceau case," recently dramatized—after being excluded from the mails—and proving quite a sensation in the East, has been cancelled at Cincinnati on the ground that it is too tough. The straw that cripples the dromedary is the scanty attire the leading lady appears in. A full description of her costume would be short and interesting. The public ought to know how scantily a good looking star can attire herself and be received with admiration in the effete East and yet be barred out in the wild and wooly West—in wicked Cincinnati.

THERE is one thing on which we have to continually advise our advertisers whom we are always anxious to accomodate. Copy for display advertisements must positively be filed prior to 10 o'clock on the day that the advertisement is to be inserted, and on Saturday the copy must be filed by 9 a. m. The invariable enforcement of this rule is absolutely necessary. Where it is possible the filing of copy an hour earlier than the time specified will be esteemed a favor.

WITH Mr. Young joining Mr. Hare on the stump in Marion county there is every outward indication that the soreness over the Carey convention has about worn away. We shall know more about this when the returns are read on the night of November 4. Mr. Foster and his wise counselors must not put too much faith in what Marion is going to do toward defeating Mr. Hare.

THE sheriff of Crawford county found that a desperate prisoner had a package of Cayenne pepper which he doubtless intended throwing in the sheriff's eyes for the purpose of making his escape. A sheriff has to run a good many ugly risks. We do not mention this, however, to lessen the throng of willing ones to succeed Mr. Kelly next year.

THE business man that squanders his money in advertising in a poor medium doesn't know what he is talking about when he asserts that advertising doesn't pay him. He should try spending money in a paper that is read and has enough readings and readers to make it a medium of some worth.

THE Bucyrus Telegraph celebrated its [illegible] anniversary last [illegible] day. The Telegraph has the [illegible] of a "granny" and yet is as [illegible] years [illegible] serves [illegible] shows [illegible]

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Horses, Cattle and Chickens.

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HORSEBACK TO JERICHO.

DR. TALMAGE CONTINUES HIS HOLY LAND ITINERARY.

The Parable of the Good Samaritan and Scenery of the Locality Recounted In Sermon—A [illegible] of Gladstone and Lord Napier.

BROOKLYN, Oct. [illegible].—The widespread and world-wide interest in Dr. Talmage's course of sermons on the Holy Land and adjoining countries is demonstrated by the thousands who are turned away from the doors of the Brooklyn Academy of Music on Sunday mornings and from The Christian Herald services in the New York Academy of Music on Sunday evenings, unable to obtain even standing room in those immense auditoriums. Today the fourth sermon of the series was preached as before in this city in the morning and in New York at night. Having announced as his text Luke x, 30, "A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho," Dr. Talmage said:

It is the morning of Dec. 5 in Jerusalem, and we take stirrups for the road along which the wayfarer of old fell among thieves, who left him wounded and half dead. Job's picture of the horse in the orient as having neck "clothed with thunder" is not true of most horses now in Palestine. There is no thunder on their necks, though there is some lightning in their heels. Poorly fed and unmercifully whacked, they sometimes retort. To Americans and English, who are accustomed to guide horses by the bridle, these horses of the orient, guided only by foot and voice, make equestrianism an uncertainty, and the pull on the bridle that you intend for slowing up of the pace may be mistaken for a hint that you want to outgallop the wind or wheel in swift circles like the hawk.

But they can climb steeps and descend precipices with skilled foot, and the one I chose for our journey in Palestine shall have the praise of going for weeks without one stumbling step, amid rocky steeps where an ordinary horse would not for an hour maintain sure footedness. There were eighteen of our party, and twenty-two beasts of burden carried our camp equipment. We are led by an Arab sheik, with his black Nubian servant carrying a loaded gun in full sight, but it is the fact that this sheik represents the Turkish government, which assures the safety of the caravan.

THE VALLEY OF JEHOSHAPHAT.

We cross the Jehoshaphat valley, which, if it had not been memorable in history and were only now discovered, would excite the admiration of all who look upon it. It is like the gorges of the Yosemite or the chasms of the Yellowstone park. The sides of this Jehoshaphat valley are tunneled with graves and overlooked by Jerusalem walls—an eternity of depths overlooked by an eternity of architecture. Within sight of Mount Olivet and Gethsemane and with the heavens and the earth full of sunshine, we start out on the very road mentioned in the text when it says, "A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell among thieves." No road that I ever saw was so well constructed for brigandage—deep gulleys, sharp turns, caves on either side.

There are fifty places on this road where a highwayman might surprise and overpower an unarmed pilgrim. His cry for help, his shriek of pain, his death groan would be answered only by the echoes. On this road today we met groups of men who, judging from their countenances, have in their veins the blood of many generations of Rob Roys. Josephus says that Herod at one time discharged from the service of the temple forty thousand men, and that the greater part of them became robbers. So late as 1820 Sir Frederick Henniker, an English tourist, was attacked on this very road from Jerusalem to Jericho, and shot and almost slain. There has never been any scarcity of bandits along the road we traveled today.

With the fresh memory of some recent violence in their minds Christ tells the people of the good Samaritan who [illegible] along that way and took care of a poor fellow that had been set upon by villainous Arabs and robbed and pounded and cut. We encamped for lunch that noon close by an old stone building, said to be the tavern where the scene spoken of in the Bible culminated. Trodden in the dust and ghastly with wounds the victim of this highway robbery lay in the middle of the road—a Jew, of which I am certain, because the Bible says the people passed by on the other side. There were twelve thousand priests living at Jericho, and they had to go to Jerusalem to [illegible] temple. And one of these [illegible] on, I suppose, was on his way to temple service, and [illegible] this bleed [illegible] the road. [illegible] a man that [illegible] Why [illegible] W[illegible] [illegible] business is with souls and not with bodies. Good morning. When you [illegible] up I will [illegible] you [illegible] temple."

And [illegible] service [illegible] toward [illegible] read [illegible] You hypocrite [illegible] of the [illegible] of religion is to [illegible] would [illegible] might have done him [illegible] would have been more acceptable [illegible] than all the incense that will [illegible] up from your censer for the [illegible] three weeks, and you miserable [illegible] Go on your way!" Execrated by the centuries.

THE SELF SUFFICIENT LEVITE.

Soon afterward a Levite came upon the scene. The Levites looked after the music of the temple and waited upon the priests and provided the supplies of the temple. This Levite passing along this road where we are today took a look at the mass of bruises and laceration in the middle of the road. "My! my!" says the Levite, "this man is awfully hurt and he ought to be helped. But my business is to sing in the choir at the temple. If I am not there no one will carry my part. Besides that there may not be enough frankincense for the censers, and the wine or oil may have given out, and what a fearful balk in the service that would make. Then one of the priests might get his breastplate on crooked. But it seems too bad to leave this man in this condition. Perhaps I had better try to stanch this bleeding and give him a little stimulant. But no! The ceremony at Jerusalem is of more importance than taking care of the wounds of a man who will probably soon be dead anyhow. This highway robbery ought to be stopped, for it hinders us Levites on our way up to the temple. There I have lost five minutes already! Go along, you beast!" he shouts as he strikes his heels into the sides of the animal carrying him, and the dust rising from the road soon hides the hard hearted official.

But a third person is coming along this road. You cannot expect him to do anything by way of alleviation, because he and the wounded man belong to different nations, which have abominated each other for centuries. The wounded man is an Israelite, and the stranger now coming on this scene of suffering is a Samaritan. They belong to nations which hated each other with an objurgation and malediction diabolic. They had opposition temples—one on Mount Gerizim and the other on Mount Moriah—and I guess this Samaritan, when he comes up, will give the fallen Israelite another clip and say: "Good for you! I will just finish the work those bandits began, and give you one more kick that will put you out of your misery. And here is a rag of your coat that they did not steal, and I will take that. What! Do you dare to appeal to me for mercy? Hush up! Why, your ancestors worshiped at Jerusalem when they ought to have worshiped at Gerizim. Now take that! and that! and that!" will say the Samaritan as he pounds the fallen Israelite.

SAMARIA'S NAME IMMORTALIZED.

No; the Samaritan rides up to the scene of suffering, gets off the beast and steps down and looks into the face of the wounded man, and says: "This poor fellow does not belong to my nation, and our ancestors worshiped in different places, but he is a man, and that makes us brothers. God pity him, as I do!" And he gets down on his knees and begins to examine his wounds, and straightens out his limbs to see if any of his bones are broken, and says: "My dear fellow, cheer up. You need have no more care about yourself, for I am going to take care of you. Let me feel of your pulse! Let me listen to your breathing! I have in these bottles two liquids that will help you. The one is oil, and that will soothe the pain of these wounds, and the other is wine, and your pulse is feeble, and you feel faint, and that will stimulate you. Now I must get you to the nearest tavern." "Oh, no!" says the man, "I can't walk. Let me stay here and die." "Nonsense!" says the Samaritan. "You are not going to die. I am going to put you on this beast, and I will hold you on till I get you to a place where you can have a soft mattress and an easy pillow."

Now the Samaritan has got the [illegible] man on his feet, and with [illegible] lifting puts him on the beast. [illegible] it is just nothing how strong [illegible] of kindness will make [illegible] a mother after [illegible] of sleepless watching of [illegible] with scarlet fever, lift [illegible] boy heavier than her [illegible] to lounge. And so [illegible] Samaritan has [illegible] wounded man in the [illegible] the steeps [illegible] toward the [illegible] know I think [illegible] the Hebrew [illegible] better [illegible] carry [illegible] an sat [illegible] water [illegible] The [illegible] just having passed along the road [illegible] precisely as it happened I [illegible] as I now see the nearest [illegible] professor so that Bi[illegible] and I said aloud [illegible] Onedrop [illegible] Christianity is worth more [illegible] full of ecclesiasticism, [illegible] Samaritan had more religion [illegible] than that minister [illegible] Levite had in a lifetime, [illegible] cursed thing on earth is nationalistic [illegible] and I bless God that I live [illegible] where Gentile and Jew [illegible] and Catholic can live together without quarrel, and where, in a great national crucible, the differences of sect and tribe and people are being melted into a great brotherhood, and that the question which the lawyer flung at Christ, and which brought out this incident of the good Samaritan, 'Who is my neighbor?' is bringing forth the answer, 'My neighbor is the first man I meet in trouble,' and a wound close at hand calls louder than a temple seventeen miles off, though it covers nineteen acres.

THE GOOD ABYSSINIAN.

I saw in London the vast procession which one day last January moved to St. Paul's cathedral at the burial of that Christian hero, Lord Napier. The day after, at Hawarden, in conversation on various themes, I asked Mr. Gladstone if he did not think that many who were under the shadow of false religions might not nevertheless be at heart really Christian. Mr. Gladstone replied: "Yes; my old friend Lord Napier, who was yesterday buried, after he returned from his Abyssinian campaign, visited us here at Hawarden, and walking in this park where we are now walking he told me a very beautiful incident. He said: 'After the war in Africa was over we were on the march, and we had a soldier with a broken leg who was not strong enough to go along with us, and we did not dare to leave him to be taken care of by savages, but we found we were compelled to leave him, and we went into the house of a woman who was said to be a very kind woman, though of the race of savages, and we said, "Here is a sick man, and if you will take care of him till he gets well we will pay you very largely;" and then we offered her five times that which would ordinarily be offered, hoping by the excess of pay to secure for him great kindness. The woman replied: "I will not take care of him for the money you offer. I do not want your money. But leave him here and I will take care of him for the sake of the love of God."'" Mr. Gladstone turned to me and said, "Dr. Talmage, don't you think that though she belonged to a race of savages that was pure religion?" And I answered, "I do; I do." May God multiply all the world over the number of good Samaritans!

In Philadelphia a young woman was dying. She was a wreck. Sunken into the depths of depravity there was no lower depth for her to reach. Word came to the midnight mission that she was dying in a haunt of iniquity near by. Who would go to tell her of the Christ of Mary Magdalen? This one refused, and that one refused, saying, "I dare not go there." A Christian woman, her white locks typical of her purity of soul, said, "I will go, and I will go now." She went and sat down by the dying girl, and told of the Christ who came to seek and save that which was lost. First to the forlorn one came the tears of repentance, and then the smile, as though she had begun to hope for the pardon of him who came to save to the uttermost. Then, just before she breathed her last, she said to the angel of mercy bending over her pillow, "Would you kiss me?" "I will," said the Christian woman, as she put upon her cheek the last salutation before in the heavenly world. I think God gave her the welcoming kiss. That was religion! Yes, that was religion. Good Samaritans along every street and along every road, as well as this one on the road to Jericho.

THE RAVENS OF CHERITH.

But our procession of sightseers is again in motion and here we pass through a deep ravine, and I cry to the dragoman, "David, what place do you call this?" and he replied, "This is the brook Cherith, where Elijah was fed by the ravens." And in that answer he overthrew my lifelong notions of the place where Elijah was waited on by the black servants of the sky. A brook to me had meant a slight depression of ground and a stream fordable, and perhaps fifteen feet wide. But here was a chasm that an earthquake must have scooped out with its biggest shovel or split with its mightiest battle ax. Six hundred feet deep is it, and the brook Cherith is a river, which, when in full flow, is a silver wedge, splitting [illegible] precipices. The [illegible] Elijah's ravens [illegible] way across this ravine. [illegible] we suppose [illegible] are as large as eagles, [illegible] could carry in its beak [illegible] high food [illegible] Elijah. No thanks [illegible] ravens [illegible] they are carnivorous, [illegible] have picked out the [illegible] they found at [illegible] the side of [illegible] breakfast, having [illegible] beverage from [illegible] than have [illegible] purveyors.

[illegible] always will [illegible] to catch the blessing as it drops from the soaring sky [illegible] the greatest blessing [illegible] not with white wings but black wings. Black wings of conviction bringing pardon to the sinner. Black wings of crucifixion over Calvary bringing redemption for the world. Black wings of American revolution bringing free institutions to a continent. Black wings of American civil war bringing unification and solidarity to the republic. Black wings of the Judgment day, bringing resurrection to a [illegible] human race. And in the last day, when all your life and mine will be summed up, we will find that the greatest blessings we ever received came on the wings of the black ravens of disaster. Bless God for trouble! Bless God for sickness! Bless God for persecution! Bless God for poverty! You never heard of any man or woman of great use to the world who had not had lots of trouble. The diamond must be cut, the wheat must be threshed, the black ravens must fly. Who are these nearest the throne? "These are they who come out of great tribulation, and had their robes washed and made white in the blood of the Lamb."

FIRST VIEW OF JORDAN.

But look! Look what at 4 o'clock in the afternoon bursts upon our vision—the plain of Jericho, and the valley of Jordan, and the Dead Sea. We have come to a place where the horses not so much walk as slide up on their haunches, and we all dismount, for the steep descent is simply terrific, though a princess of Wallachia who fell here and was dangerously wounded, after recovery spent a large amount of money in trying to make the road passable. Down and down! till we saw the white tents pitched for us by our muleteers amid the ruins of ancient Jericho, which fell at the sound of poor music played on a "ram's horn," that ancient instrument which, taken from the head of the leader of the flock of sheep, is perforated and prepared to be fingered by the musical performer, and blown upon when pressed to the lips. As in another sermon I have fully described that scene, I will only say that every day for seven days the ministers of religion went round the city of Jericho blowing upon those ram's horns, and on the seventh day, without the roll of a war chariot, or the stroke of a catapult, or the swing of a ballista, crash! crash! crash! went the walls of that magnificent capital.

On the evening of Dec. 6 we walked amid the brick and mortar of that shattered city, and I said to myself: All this done by poor music blest of God; for it was not a harp or a flute or a clapping cymbal or an organ played, at the sound of which the city surrendered to destruction, but a rude instrument making rude music blest of God, to the demolition of that wicked place which had for centuries defied the Almighty. And I said, if all this was by the blessing of God on poor music, what mightier things could be done by the blessing of God on good music, skillful music, Gospel music. If all the good that has already been done by music were subtracted from the world, I believe three fourths of its religion would be gone. The lullabys of mothers which keep sounding on, though the lips that sang them forty years ago became ashes; the old hymns in log cabin churches and country meeting houses, and psalms in Rouse's version in Scotch kirks; the anthem in English cathedrals; the roll of organs that will never let Handel or Haydn or Beethoven die; the thrum of harps, the sweep of the bow across bass viols, the song of Sabbath schools storming the heavens, the doxology of great assemblages—why, a thousand Jerichos of sin have by them all been brought down.

THE POWER OF MUSIC.

Seated by the warmth of our camp fires that evening of Dec. 6, amid the bricks and debris of Jericho, and thinking what poor music has done, and what mightier things could be accomplished by the blessings of God on good music, I said to myself: Ministers have been doing a grand work, and sermons have been blessed, but would it not be well for us to put more emphasis on music? Oh, for a campaign of "Old Hundred!" Oh, for a brigade of Mount Pisgahs! Oh, for a cavalry charge of "Coronations!" Oh, for an army of Antiochs and St. Martins and Ariels! Oh, for enough orchestral batons lifted to marshal all nations! As Jericho was surrounded by poor music for seven days, and was conquered, so let our earth be surrounded seven days by good gospel music, and the round planet will all be taken for God. Not a wall of opposition, not a throne of tyranny, not a palace of sin, not an enterprise of unrighteousness could stand the mighty throb of such atmospheric pulsation. Music! It sounded at the laying of creation's corner stone when the morning stars sang together. Music! It will be the last reverberation when the archangel's trumpet shall wake the dead. Music! Let its full power be now tested to comfort and bless and arouse and save.

While our evening meal is being prepared in the tents we walk out for a moment to the "Fountain of Elisha," the one into which the prophet threw the salt because the waters were poisonous and bitter, and lo! they became sweet and healthy, and ever since, with gurgle and laughter, they have rushed down the hill and leaped from the rocks, the only cheerful object in all that region being these waters.

Now on this plain of Jericho the sun is setting, making the mountains look like balustrades and battlements of amber and maroon and gold; and the moon just above the crests, seems to be a window of heaven through which immortals might be looking down upon the scene. Three Arabs as watchmen sit beside the camp fire at the door of my tent, their low conversation in a strange language all night long a soothing rather than an interruption. I had a dream that night never to be forgotten, that dream amid the complete ruins of Jericho. Its past grandeur returned, and I saw the city as it was when Mark Antony gave it to Cleopatra and Herod bought it from her. And I heard the hoofs of its swift steeds, and the rumbling of its chariots and the shouts of excited spectators in its amphitheatre.

A LOVELY REGION.

And there was white marble amid green groves of palm and balsam; cold stone warmed with sculptured foliage; hard pillars cut into soft lace; Iliads and Odysseys in granite; basalt jet as the night, mounted by carbuncle flaming as the morning; upholstery dyed as though dipped in the blood of battlefields, robes incrusted with diamonds; mosaics white as sea foam flashed on by auroras; gayeties which the sun saw by day rivaled by revels the moon saw by night; blasphemy built against the sky; ceilings stellar as the midnight heavens; grandeurs turreted, archivolted and intercolumnar; wickedness so appalling that established vocabulary fails, and we must make an adjective and call it Herodic.

The region round about the city walls seemed to me white with cotton such as Theudas describes as once growing there, and sweet with sugar cane and luscious with orange and figs and pomegranates, and redolent with such flora as can only grow where a tropical sun kisses the earth. And the hour came back to me when in the midst of all that splendor Herod died, commanding his sister Salome immediately after his death to secure the assassination of all the chief Jews whom he had brought to the city and shut up in a circus for that purpose, and the news came to the audience in the theatre as some one took the stage and announced to the excited multitude: "Herod is dead! Herod is dead!"

Then in my dream all the pomp of Jericho vanished and gloom was added to gloom, and desolation to desolation, and woe to woe, until perhaps the rippling waters of the fountain of Elisha suggesting it, as sounds will sometimes give direction to a dream—I thought that the waters of Christ's salvation and the fountains "open for sin and uncleanness" were rolling through that plain and rolling across that continent, and rolling round the earth, until on either side of their banks all the thorns became flowers, and all the deserts gardens, and all the hovels mansions, and all the funerals bridal processions, and all the blood of war was turned into dahlias, and all the groans became anthems, and Dante's "Inferno" became Dante's "Divina Commedia," and "Paradise Lost" was submerged by "Paradise Regained," and tears became crystals, and cruel swords came out of foundries glistening plowshares, and in my dream at the blast of a trumpet the prostrated walls of Jericho rose again.

And some one told me that, as these walls in Joshua's time at the sounding trumpet of doom went down, now at the sounding trumpet of the gospel they come up again. And I thought a man appeared at the door of my tent, and I said, "Who are you, and from whence have you come?" and he said, "I am the Samaritan you heard of at the tavern on the road from Jerusalem to Jericho as taking care of the man who fell among thieves, and I have just come from healing the last wound of the last unfortunate in all the earth." And I rose from my pillow in the tent to greet him, and my dream broke, and I realized it was only a dream, but a dream which shall become a glorious reality as surely as God is true and Christ's gospel is the world's Catholicon. "Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen."

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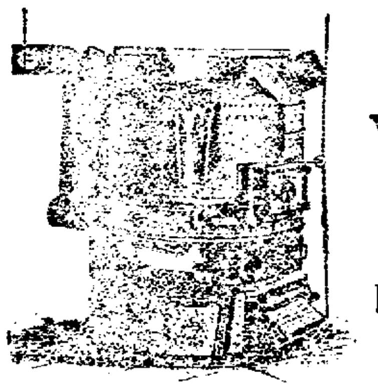

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—George Tschannen, of Upper Sandusky, spent Sunday in Marion, the guest of Miss Maggie Thompson, who is spending the week with Mrs. H. W. Culbertson.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Almendinger, a widow lady living in Pleasant township, died Saturday night at the age of about 71 years. Deceased had suffered a long time with a cancer on her arm, and her death is attributed indirectly to that cause. The funeral took place this forenoon at the German M. E. church in this city, and burial followed at the Marion cemetery. Thirteen children survive the lady.

—City Clerk B. F. Davis received a telegram this morning announcing that his wife had died at the home of her parents, near Ravenswood, W. Va., Saturday night. Her death was quite a shock to the husband, as he had received a telegram Friday stating that she was better. Mrs. Davis had gone home with the hope of improving her health, having been sick a long time. Consumption is thought to have been the cause of death. Mr. Davis left this morning for Ravenswood. The burial of deceased will occur near that place.

TAKEN HOME BY HIS FATHER.

Olliver McCoy, the 12-year-old Wanderer, is Claimed by His Father.

A couple weeks ago a little traveler, 12-year-old Olliver McCoy, dropped into Marion looking for a position. Though so young he was quite bright and showed a considerable nerve in seeking a position among strangers. The boy said he came from Winchester, Ind., and said his father and mother were both dead. This story he strictly adhered to, and the boy was kept at Marshal Redd's home to await some endeavors to find the boy's folks. The boy's coming was noticed in the STAR, and in that way his parents, who are not dead but greatly exercised over the running away of their son, heard of him. Mrs. Beerbower, a sister of Mrs. John F. Uhler, who resides in Indianapolis, read of the boy's visit here in the STAR, and it so transpires that the McCoys are neighbors to Mrs. Beerbower. The distressed parents were immediately shown the paper and they hastened word to Mayor Dudley to have him sent home by express, to insure his arrival. That could not be done, however, and another letter brought the father here Sunday to secure his son. The lad had been kept in ignorance of these movements in the meantime, and he was very greatly surprised and bored when his father suddenly appeared to take him home.

Mr. McCoy spent the day with Marshal Redd in this city and returned to Indianapolis in the evening, taking home the wayward son to gladden his own and a distressed mother's heart. Little Olliver is their only son, and is usually a very good boy. He has an utter detestation of going to school, however, and their efforts to get him to attend led to his remarkable runaway. A weekly stipend for pursuing his studies, besides the present of a gold watch, did not lessen his antipathy to the school room. It is strange that so bright a lad should object to being educated. He returned home with regrets, being much pleased over his stay in Marion.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, pastor United Brethren church, Blue Mound, Kas., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 pounds in weight."

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Horace Kephart, the new librarian of the Mercantile Library of St. Louis, has held similar positions at Cornell, Rutgers and Yale. He is a graduate of Lebanon, Pa., and a young man of comprehensive literary requirements.

Sudden Deaths.

Heart disease is by far the most frequent cause of sudden death, which in three out of four cases is unsuspected. The symptoms are not generally understood. These are: a habit of lying on the right side, short breath, pain or distress in side, back or shoulder, irregular pulse, asthma, weak and hungry spells, wind in stomach, swelling of ankles or dropsy, oppression, dry cough and smothering. Dr. Miles' illustrated book on heart disease at Denison & Co. and Hoberman & Co. who sell and guarantee Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, and his Restorative Nervine, which cures nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, effects of drinking, etc. It contains no opiates.

Startling Facts.

The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the following suggests the best remedy: Alphonso Humpfling, of Butler, Pa., swears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus dance Dr. Miles' great Restorative Nervine cured him. Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Valparaiso, and J. D. Tailor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache and nervous prostration by one bottle. Trial bottles, and fine book of marvelous cures, free at Denison & Co. and Hoberman & Co. who recommends and guarantees this unequaled remedy.

Packing Factory Burned.

PARNASSUS, PA., Oct. 20.—The Keystone Packing factory of Bovard & Purnell took fire Saturday evening and was destroyed; also, the hardware store of John Masters & Company, and the building of Stewart & Sproul, occupied by several secret societies. Loss heavy and only partially insured.

Iowa's Prohibitory Statute.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Oct. 20.—Judge John T. Stoneman, of the superior court of this city, has rendered a decision in three liquor cases brought under the Iowa prohibitory statute. The decision amounts to declaring the Iowa statute unconstitutional and inoperative.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at Flocken's Drug Store.

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"Samantha, I wish I could break myself of this slavish habit of smoking!" said Mr. Chugwater, despairingly. "I'd give worlds if I could do it!"

"Will you be guided by my advice, Josiah?" asked Mrs. Chugwater.

"What do you know about such things?" he demanded.

"Never mind what," she replied. "Will you promise to do exactly what I prescribe?"

"For how long?"

"For about two weeks."

"Oh, yes," he said, listlessly. "Go ahead with your prescription."

Mrs. Chugwater left the room and returned in a moment with a box of 100 cigars.

"Josiah," she said, tenderly, "I bought these of a peddler for fifty cents, and I've been saving them for you. You will smoke fourteen of them every day till they are all gone."—Chicago Tribune.

What the Law Allowed Him.

A friend sends us the following story which may be a little gray with the frost of time, though we do not recall seeing it in print. We insert it, anyhow, with the thought that "there's nothing new under the sun:"

A young gentleman and a young lady were attending a wedding—their own wedding, by the way. After the ceremony was over the groom, in a business like manner, asked the minister for a statement of account. The parson told him the law allowed him $3. The happy groom said, in a generous tone of voice, handing him a fifty cent piece: "This, with what the law allows you, will make it three dollars and a half."—West Shore.

The Czar's Joke.

The Czarina—O, my dearovitch, does it not make your heartovsky beat with pridesky to think what a beautifulovitch country our own Russia is?

The Czar—No, sweetesky, I do not lovesky Russia. Would you know what I thinksky of it?

"Yes, my petsky. What do you think of it?"

"It is—a-homb-inable!"—Lawrence American.

A Prudent Boy.

Mr. Jones—Tommy, when your aunt comes you must kiss her and be very polite.

Tommy—No, pa, you just bet I ain't going to kiss her.

Mr. Jones—Why not?

Tommy (aged 12)—Great Scott! Don't you ever read the papers? Half the divorce suits and shooting scrapes come from men kissing other men's wives.—Texas Siftings.

A Woman's Way.

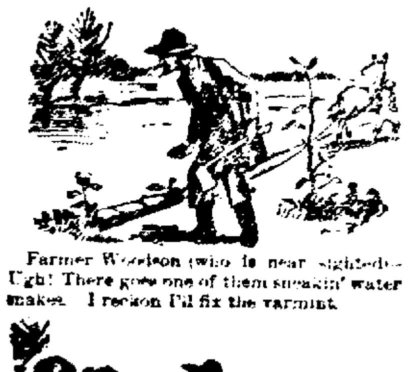
Tailor—Well, Jones, how did your wife like the new clothes?

Jones—She acted just as she did when I first began to court her.

Tailor—How was that? Laid her cheek on the lapels?

Jones—No; violently opposed my suit.—Burlington Free Press.

Farmer Woodson's Mistake.



Farmer Woodson (who is near sighted)—Ugh! There goes one of them sneakin' water snakes. I reckon I'll fix the varmint.

Canal Boat Captain—Hey, you slab sided son of a gun, what do you mean by cuttin' my towline?—Munsey's Weekly.

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STRAY BITS.

There are [illegible] in the United States named after "Mad Anthony" Wayne.

The earliest instance of an engraved gem is the emerald ring of Polycrates, 740 B. C.

Pittsburg is properly spelled with a final h, that being the orthography of the city's charter.

In Central park, New York, on a fine afternoon as many as [illegible] saddle horses are ridden.

The banana plant has been found to contain a greater quantity of pure fiber than any of the other numerous vegetable products used for paper making.

A kitten in Hood River, Ore., caught a lizard, and the reptile in attempting to escape ran down its enemy's throat, where it lodged, with fatal result to the cat.

There are but two words in the whole range of the English language containing all of the vowels in their regular order. They are abstemious and facetious.

Almost in the exact geographical center of Wyoming is a mountain of solid hematite iron ore, with 600 feet of it above ground, more than a mile wide and over two miles in length.

Nearly [illegible] shad have been planted in the open waters of Georgia during the last two years. The rivers of Georgia are said to be the best in the United States for the propagation of fish.

It is estimated that if the tobacco used in France during a single year were twisted into a cord two inches in thickness it would be long enough to encircle the earth thirty times, following the line of the equator.

The horse that Gen. Grant last used in the army is said to be leading a comfortable existence on a farm near St. Louis, to which it was sent by Judge Long, of that city, to whom Gen. Grant presented the animal.

Butterflies are to be the next victims of fashion. Fans are decorated with the beautiful wings of these insects, caught in hundreds for the purpose, the body, antennæ and legs being sketched in afterward by an artist.

The men employed in the German factories in which smokeless powder is manufactured have been provided with rubber masks to protect them from the fumes thrown off by the chemicals entering into the composition of the powder.

The superintendent of the dead letter office at Washington says that more than 6,000,000 pieces of mail matter are annually sent to the dead letter office by reason of incorrect, illegible or deficient address, insufficient postage or insecure closing.

DAUGHTERS OF EVE.

Gabrielle Greeley is the only surviving member of the great editor's family.

Miss Helen Gladstone comes to 7 o'clock dinner in a gingham gown and keeps the table in a roar.

Mrs. Ella May Barnett, of Honey Brook, L. I., is an ordained minister of the Universalist church.

Lady Euphemia Eglinton is causing a sensation in Whitechapel by driving a costermonger's cart.

Rosa Bonheur sold her last picture for $10,000, and says she has work enough in her mind to fill two lifetimes.

Miss Coral Quay, daughter of Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, has gone to Europe to complete her education.

Mrs. Frank Leslie in full dress wears the diamond decoration "El Busto del Libertador," given her by Venezuela.

Lida Lewis Watson, the New England poetess of passion, was married recently to Francis W. Higgins, of St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Katie Marsden, another heroic and fearless Englishwoman like Sister Rose Gertrude, proposes to devote her life to the mitigation of the suffering by leprosy.

Miss Charlotte M. Yonge, author of "The Heir of Redclyffe," at the age of 67 is busy writing her 101st book, "The Slaves of Sabinus," a story of Vespasian's time.

Mrs. Thomas C. Platt receives many more letters than the ex-senator. Most of them come from unfortunate and impertinent people, who want everything a mortal can want. Money is the general demand.

Mrs. Frances James, widow of G. P. R. James, the English novelist and historian, has presented to the wardens of Christ church, Eau Claire, Wis., a vase for the altar, as "thanksoffering to God for recovery from a serious illness."

ATCHISON PHILOSOPHY.

Every wrinkle on a man's face looks like a dollar sign.

Before doing a foolish thing remember that the world likes to laugh.

Many times when you are very indignant you are in the wrong yourself.

Many a man has strong good points that are overbalanced by little weak points.

Heaven must be the place where every man receives what he thinks he deserves.

Most love troubles arise out of the fact that most men think that women ought to be angels.

A man may refuse to pay every one else, but he will find there is no getting out of it if he has the devil to pay.

Man learns from experience, after all; when the oldest girl of the family is given a musical education the other girls are not.

For every day that a man knows a woman, he finds her capable of doing something better and meaner than he had believed she could do.

The most disgusting man in the world is the fool who says by his actions: "Whatever comes into my little head is right; the world is wrong. I put the thoughts that happen into my little head against the experience of the world."—Atchison Globe.

INTERESTING FACTS.

Only one person in 1,000 dies of old age.

Of every 1,000,000 people in the world 800 are blind.

An inch of rain means 100 tons of water on every acre.

There are at least 10,000,000 nerve fibers in the human body.

A needle passes through eighty operations before it is perfectly made.

The smallest known insect, the Pteratomus Putnami, a parasite of the cinnemon, is but one-ninetieth of an inch in length.

The thickness of the human hair varies from the 250th to the 600th part of an inch; blonde hair is the finest, and red the coarsest.

It is a fact established upon the authority of travelers in different parts of the world that stammering is almost unknown among savage tribes.

In China all the land belongs to the state, and a trifling sum per acre, never altered through long centuries, is paid as rent. This is the only tax in the country, and it amounts to but about sixty cents per head.

Long Distance Swimming by a Mustang.

Captain Ben Rocheblave, of the naval reserve, is the owner of a mustang mare which, if yet alive, is entitled to the championship belt for swimming. Sunday night the mare left home and went into the navy yard. She was discovered Monday morning, and when the guards attempted to put her out of the yard she took to the water, and for an hour or more swam around in front of the navy yard. She then struck out across the bay and after swimming at least three miles landed on Santa Rosa island, in the rear of the life saving station.

Crossing the island to a spot near the station she boldly plunged into the gulf, and when last seen was well out to sea, swimming to the southeast. If she put back she has not landed at any point west of the quarantine station, but she may have landed at some point east of it, and Captain Rocheblave has parties living on the sound looking out for her.—Pensacola News.

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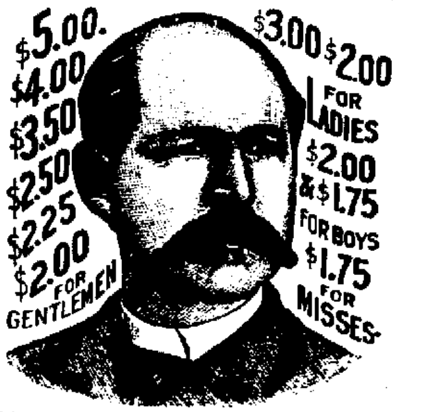

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(In effect on and after May 1[illegible], 18[illegible])

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 3	10.22 a. m.	No. 10	5.41 a. m.
No. 7	[illegible] p. m.	No. 2	6.45 p. m.
No. 9	12.[illegible] a. m.	No. [illegible]	5.44 p. m.
No. 17	4.17 a. m.	No. 8	3.22 a. m.
No. 41, Local	7.[illegible] a. m.	No. 40, Local,	2.55 p. m.
No. 43, *M. Ac	[illegible]	No. 42, *M. Ac	3.45 p. m.

*Marion accommodation runs no farther west than this city.

C., H. V. AND T.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 31	8.30 a. m.	No. 30	5.40 am
No. 33	11.[illegible]	No. 32	9.15 am
No. 35	[illegible].21 p. m.	No. 34	1.14 pm
No. 37	[illegible]	No. 36	8.43 pm

All trains run Sundays but 34 and 35. Trains 30 and 37 run only between Marion and Columbus.

[illegible]

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	9.20 a. m.	No. 6	11.20 p. m.
No. 5	12.[illegible] p. m.	No. 2	7.00 p. m.
No. 3	11.[illegible] p. m.	No. 12	4.30 a. m.
No. 7	[illegible]	No. 8	11.00 a. m.

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Gold Frame Spectacles at from $8 to $20, and Steel, Rubber and Silver Framed Gl[illegible] at from [illegible] to $1 [illegible] the prices [illegible] on the lens. All glasses [illegible] without [illegible] tal test [illegible] the eyes are not fitted [illegible] with [illegible] at once [illegible] ble. [illegible] vited [illegible] whether they buy or not.

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The display of Frames in [illegible] window are entered at greatly reduced prices--positive bargains.

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—Turney's time.

—Young, the grocer.

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—Try Young on high grade coffee.

—Cranberries at Young's, 10c per quart.

—Young has fine fruits and fancy groceries.

—Silk Velvet and Plush caps very cheap at Mrs. Baldwin's. 28d2.

—Mrs. J. G. Robison has returned home after a short visit with friends at Bowling Green, Ohio.

—Of course Jim Bonser, of the Wells-Fargo Express force, looks proud. It is a boy, a regular Bonser.

—Geo. McMurray received a letter from his father this morning, stating that he and Mr. Fisher had arrived at Cork, Ireland, Oct. 8th.

—Engineer Scott was over to LaRue this morning, and says great preparations are being made for the street fair to be held there Thursday and Friday of this week.

—Saturday was pay day on the Chicago and Erie and the welcome pay car distributed more money than it has for several months past, owing to the increased force of employes.

—The M. E. church people held their services at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, having been tendered the use of the building on account of the sickness of Rev. Thomas.

—Delaware Gazette: Geo. Donavin was circulating among friends as usual this morning, but an extra smile pervaded his countenance, a new seven pound girl at his house, you know.

—Miss Mame Williams entertained the Sweet Violet Club at her home last Saturday evening. The program arranged the previous meeting was duly carried out, the debate being the hit of the evening.

—Prospect Monitor: Jack Thew and Tom Stocks, of Marion, spent the latter part of the week fishing and hunting in this vicinity. [illegible] in company with a party of Marionites is in Wisconsin hunting bear.

The ladies of the First Baptist church, on East street, will give a [illegible] and work social [illegible] rooms over [illegible] [illegible] Tuesday eve[illegible] [illegible]

It will pay you to [illegible] our stock of queensware and lamps. We have the latest and [illegible] assortment in the city to select from, and are sure to please you. Call at [illegible] 28-3t. J. W. [illegible]

F. J. Gottschall came up from [illegible] Saturday to stay [illegible] with relatives in this city. He returned home this morning [illegible] Mrs. Gottschall and daughter [illegible] been in the city since Wednesday of last week.

[illegible]

—See Prendergast at once if you wish to buy your winter's supply of hard or soft coal. Their prices are extremely low. 100-tf

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COAL

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[illegible]

Try Young's fancy tea.

The city council will hold its adjourned meeting tonight.

The [illegible] Memorial Block is about ready for the roofers.

—Judge Norris convened court this morning and the grand jury began its investigations.

—Huntington Democrat: P. J. Henry and Frank Robinson, of the C. and E., will spend Sunday in Marion, O.

—John F. Augenstine and Callie Roth were licensed to marry Saturday. Milton Morral and Elizabeth A. Shoots were licensed today.

—Iler Bros. are preparing to build works near their home in North Marion for the purpose of manufacturing their patent well drill.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hammond, of Pennsylvania, accompanied by their niece, Miss Libbie Skeiner, spent several days last week with their cousin Paul G. Harvey, on east South street.

—The committee of fire department of the city council, is considering the purchase of a fire alarm system. The need of some such system is well known and there is no doubt of meeting public approval in a wise purchase.

One of Marion's excellent ladies who has the misfortune to be near sighted was passing down street one afternoon last week when she stopped to admire the appearance of what she took to be a finely dressed dummy in front of a dry goods house. Her mortification can be better imagined than told when, to her surprise, the supposed dummy walked off down street ere she concluded her inspection. The fellow never said a word.

—Now is the time when the busy housewife dons her short skirt and sallies forth to burn the leaves and rubbish that have accumulated during the summer months. She is assisted by all the small girls and boys in the vicinity and all hands are busy. It's fun for all. The lady will never admit it, but she enjoys the bonfire as it recalls her youthful days and takes her thoughts backward to the old folks at home.

—Bucyrus Forum: Mrs. George Homan, widow of the late Sheriff Homan, had a lively experience with a burglar Tuesday morning at her home [illegible]. When discovered by Mrs. Homan, who was alone in the house, the burglar was in the act of taking his departure loaded down with booty. The plucky woman, who is about sixty years of age, compelled him to return [illegible] the stolen goods and then [illegible] every pocket in his clothes [illegible] He [illegible] over six feet in height [illegible]

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[illegible]

A [illegible] Visit

[illegible]

If you want [illegible] take [illegible] wherever you have a chance, even if only for a few minutes.

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PLUSH CLOAKS — Plush Jackets, the newest shapes in the best goods, at the lowest prices.

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THOSE STYLISH Capes and Muffs in all of the desirable Furs can be seen at our store. We carry a very large stock of fine Furs.

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OCT. 20 AND CLOSING OCT. 25.

Avail yourself of this opportunity and get a dress at a reduction of 10 per cent. from our already low prices.

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MASONIC BLOCK.

Police Court News.

Policeman Palmer was doing special work Sunday, under instructions, looking after open business houses. Saloonkeepers and confectioners were ordered to close. There were some violations but only two arrests made. The proprietors of the Elk saloon were ordered to appear before the Mayor this morning, which they did and plead guilty, receiving a fine of $25. Mrs. Fred Wetzel was also instructed to appear, which she did and received a like fine.

Policeman "Garry" run in one fighting drunk early Saturday evening, and "onged" him after some difficulty. He was released later in the evening, on a promise to call and settle with the Mayor later.

Palmer also arrested a young woman Saturday evening for being a common chippy, but she was released later on a promise to get out of town, which she fulfilled by taking a train for Owens.

Patrick Finn was locked up Sunday for being unconsciously drunk. Threatens to sue the town because he woke up with a ball and chain on him. Put up for his appearance.

From Palace to Prison.

[Bucyrus Forum.]

A woman who at one time was one of the brightest and most highly respected of the best circles of this city, who had a magnificent home and was surrounded by every luxury that fortune could purchase, last Saturday night occupied one of the cells in the calaboose. She was Anna McCrory, formerly the wife of Mat Monnett. Saturday evening, half crazy from repeated draughts of some intoxicating beverages she created a most violent and disorderly scene at the home of her father and became so desperate that the relatives were compelled to notify Marshal Lichty. That officer sternly performed his duty and Saturday [illegible] to free herself from a [illegible] the cell [illegible] [illegible] seek [illegible] where she had wrought so [illegible] Here is a most pitiful [illegible] case. Her descent [illegible] of honor, esteem, and respectability to her present sorrowful [illegible] its rapidity and [illegible] a warning as wholesome as [illegible]

Attention, Sons of Veterans!

All members of [illegible] Camp S. of V. are requested to meet at [illegible] 2 p.m. [illegible] for the purpose of [illegible] H. Palmer [illegible] [illegible] War [illegible] By [illegible]

Children Enjoy

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father [illegible] most gratifying results follow its use [illegible] best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

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Our store will be
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commencing next
week.
M. Nelson
&
Son.

Robert Downing.

[Philadelphia Public Ledger.]

The broad stage of the Grand Opera House was proved last night to be admirably suited to the presentation of such a tragedy as Saumet's "Gladiator," and Mr. Robert Downing was no less suited to the part of "Nero," made familiar by recent performances of Salvini. Mr. Downing has gained in repose by experience and the development of confidence in his own powers, and now appeals with equal force to all his auditors. He presents an impressive figure, and his powerful voice, which, by controlling it, he makes more effective, seems fitted to a man of unusual strength. His wife, known on the stage as Miss Eugenie Blair, was an exceptionally beautiful and innocent looking "Neodamia," and her representation of girlish innocence made more reasonable her devotion to the church at the sacrifice of her love. The arena scene, in the fourth act, was not only well mounted, but was acted with telling effect, and at its close the large audience recalled both "Nero" and "Neodamia."

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